

REMARKS

Claims 1, 4-6, 8, 11-12, 14-15, and 18-21 are pending in the application and have been allowed.

Claims 1, 4, 8, 15, and 20 have been amended to correct typographical errors.

The Applicant notes that no new subject matter has been added.

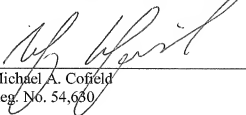
CONCLUSION

Applicants request that the Examiner enter the amendments shown above prior to issuance. The Examiner is encouraged to telephone the undersigned at (503) 224-2170 ext. 211 if it appears that an interview would be helpful in advancing the case.

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